



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: 9/27/2019

Major Crimes Bureau / Gun Crimes Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Weapons Offense/School Zone

Date: 9/27/2019

Time: 11:04 AM

Location of Offense/Incident: Northland High School

Zone: 1

Precinct: 18

Incident Report #: 190818321

Cruiser District: 181

Victim: Society	Sex:	Race:	Age:
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Suspect: ~ Identified Juvenile ~	Address:
<input type="checkbox"/> Arrested <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Warrant on File	Sex: Male Race: Black Age: 17
Charges: Convey Deadly Weapon School Zone, Carry Concealed Weapon & Tamper w/ Evidence	
Suspect:	Address:
<input type="checkbox"/> Arrested <input type="checkbox"/> Warrant on File	Sex: Race: Age:
Charges:	

Incident Summary:
The HSRO assigned to Northland High School (Columbus Public Schools) was advised by school staff that a student ran from the school just as School Safety & Security were about to search his backpack. The school staff were concerned that a weapon may have been concealed within the backpack. The student fled the school building and grounds and into the adjoining neighborhood.

Columbus Police would later receive a call from a homeowner that someone had dumped a backpack on their property. The HSRO responded to this location and identified the backpack as the one the student had control of. Located within this backpack was a loaded handgun. The HSRO collected the firearm and made arrangements for it to be secured at the CPD Property Room.

The Columbus Police Gun Unit will request the Franklin County Prosecutor's Office (Juvenile Division) file appropriate charges.

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